



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the **PATENT APPLICATION** of:

**Shinichi Imade**

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**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.312**

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This Amendment is being filed in response to the Examiner's Amendment enclosed with the December 6, 2005 Supplemental Notice of Allowability.

Please amend the application without prejudice or disclaimer as follows:

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